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#### HANCOCK

Raymond Martin has enlisted in the V. N. G. and is in training at Fort Ethan Allen.

Aline Andrews is recovering from the measles.

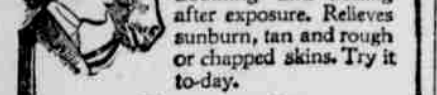
Mrs. Mary Manning has returned from Warren, where she has been caring for her son's wife and baby, also staying to the funeral of the young child, who died of measles.

The ladies of the Olive Branch had a pleasant meeting at the home of Mrs. May Martin Wednesday afternoon and Mrs. C. E. Andrews was admitted as a new member.

Eugene Jerry has been a recent guest of his mother, Mrs. Lucy Perry.

Mrs. Seelman, who has been visiting at Rinaldo Whittier's, has gone to Rochester.

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#### RANDOLPH

Miss Elizabeth Welsh, the trained nurse, who has been at her home in North Woodstock, N. H., for nearly three weeks, returned on Monday.

Mrs. Adelaide Tilden of Concord, N. H., arrived here Monday for a several days' stay with Mrs. F. H. Ketchum.

Mrs. Charles Burridge, a lady living on the Rochester road, sustained a shock on Sunday, which rendered her right side helpless, and she is also unable to speak. Mrs. Burridge is 84 years of age, and it is feared that she will not rally.

Mrs. Will Pitkin left on Monday for Fitchburg, Mass., where she is to pass a few days with friends.

Mrs. G. W. Patterson and her little son, George, left on Monday for Albany, N. Y., where they are to pass several weeks.

Miss Josephine Dana, a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Chedel over Sunday, left on Monday for Pomfret for a few days' stay before returning to New Haven, Conn.

Miss Della Menard, now employed in Hartford at the inn by S. W. Slayton, was an over-Sunday guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Menard.

Miss Ruth Roundy, who came from Worcester, Mass., to attend the wedding of Jessie Chedel, left on Monday for her home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Clark of New Haven, Conn., who have leased the Thayer place on Highland avenue, and who have been in town for a few days to attend to arrangements for moving, left on Saturday morning, expecting to move here in the near future and take up their residence.

Rev. W. S. Smithers of Orleans arrived here on Monday night, to visit his son, H. J. Smithers, and family for a few days.

John Ford went to Granville on Saturday for a few days' stay with relatives and the first of next week will resume work in the store of E. A. Morse, Frank Ford having taken his place during his absence.

Mrs. W. H. Gladding, who has been in Montpelier since last Thursday on a visit with her brother, Charles Foster, returned home on Monday.

#### SOUTH WOODBURY

R. E. Wakefield and Mr. Kilgallen of Hardwick were business visitors in the place recently.

Neil Tassie will do the patrol work on the Woodbury roads, having been appointed by R. S. Currier.

W. H. Douglass of Northfield was a business visitor in the place the middle of the week.

Harry Barton of Northfield has taken possession of his farm, known as the Colley place, which he recently purchased of Martin Clark. Joe Brothers moved Mr. Barton's goods from Northfield to this place.

F. L. Batchelder was a business visitor in Burlington for a few days last week.

Mrs. Jennie Hubbard and daughter, Beatrice, are in Plainfield for a few days, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Maynard King.

Harlie Wheeler arrived home from Claremont, N. H., last Thursday.

Helen Blake and Levi Wheeler went to Springfield last Saturday.

W. H. White and H. Burnap of Hardwick were business visitors in this place last Thursday.

Woodbury Co-operative creamery for the week ending April 9 made 2,100 pounds of butter and paid 52 cents per pound for butter fat.

Rev. W. Harry May of Bloomfield visited friends here Friday and Saturday of last week.

Rev. M. H. Hale of Cabot resumed afternoon services at the church here last Sunday.

#### NORTH CALAIS

Charles C. Merrill of Boston, secretary of the Vermont Missionary society, was entertained at Sidney Nelson's on Monday, April 23.

Rev. John McLean of Chicago will hold services at the Davis church on Sunday, May 6, also May 13, at the usual hour.

Miss Orpha Ainsworth visited friends in Montpelier last week.

Miller Lovett of Middlebury arrived at I. S. Tabor's Friday and will teach school in district No. 10.

Sugar parties seem to be the order now, Col. Foster entertaining on Friday and E. W. Cate on Sunday.

What Bernstorff Said.

Washington, May 1.—Count Von Bernstorff, former German ambassador to the United States, before the war spoke disparagingly of German citizens in this country, saying that they had run away from the fatherland to avoid military service and were "outlaws," according to a statement made public yesterday by Senator Phelan of California in connection with comment on the passage of the war army bill. The remarks attributed to Von Bernstorff, Senator Phelan explained, were made during an interview which he had with the ambassador in Munich in 1913 in an effort to get Germany to participate in the Panama-Pacific exposition. "I think," said the senator, "our German-American citizens should know and understand the Prussian estimate of them and be confirmed in what I believe to be their sincere conviction, that their duty is with America in this struggle."

#### CORNS HURT TODAY?

Lift your corns or calluses off with fingers and it won't pain you one bit.

Yes! You truly can lift off every hard corn, soft corn or corn between the toes, as well as hardened calluses on bottom of foot without one bit of pain.

A genius in Cincinnati discovered frezone. It is an ether compound and tiny bottles of this magic fluid can now be had at any drug store for a few cents.

Apply several drops of this frezone upon a tender, aching corn or a callus. Instantly all soreness disappears and shortly you will find the corn or callus so shriveled and loose that you lift it off with the fingers. You feel no pain while applying frezone or afterwards.

Just think! No more corns or calluses to torture you, and they go without causing one twinge of pain or soreness. You will call frezone the magic drug, and it really is. Genuine frezone has a yellow label. Look for yellow label—adv.



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FRED J. CAVEEN.  
50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size, 25c. At all dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ogdensburg, N. Y.

#### ORANGE

Merton M. Curtis died Tuesday night, April 24, after a long illness from typhoid, aged 29 years and five months. He was a young man of friendly disposition and sterling worth, having borne his long illness with much cheerfulness and bravery. He was a loved and faithful member of the Red Men's lodge of East Barre and Orange grange. In the latter organization he has held several offices with credit. He leaves a stepfather and his mother, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Cutler, a sister, Mrs. Roswell Farnham of West Topsham, two brothers, Edgar of Chelsea, and Charles of this town, and a halfbrother, Theron Cutler, to mourn the loss of a devoted son and brother.

The funeral was held from the Orange Congregational church Thursday at 2 o'clock. Rev. James Ramage officiating. The Red Men and the grange attended in a body. The pall bearers were Harry Blake, Charles Richardson, Frank Miner and Daniel Miner. The interment was in the Center cemetery, the grange commitment service being used. During the service at the church and the grave, Mrs. James Lord and Mrs. Fred Flanders rendered several beautiful duets.

Following is a list of the floral tributes: Pillow, family; wreath, Red Men; cycle, grange; tulips, Mrs. David Bolles, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spaulding and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson and family; calla lilies, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miner, David Miner, Florence Cutler; calla lilies and carnations, Mrs. G. A. Jackson; carnations, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Emerson, Fred Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. Wynne Tucker, Mrs. F. C. Bean and family, Robert Andrews, H. J. Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Cutler, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Aiken, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Peake, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Peake, Flora Peake, Clarence Curtis; begonias, Lena Philbrick; mixed flowers, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Haynes; daffodils, Orange Center school.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Welch of Barre visited at Charles Mills' Sunday.

C. L. Peake and family spent Sunday with relatives in town.

Miss Sadie Wood is home from her work in Barre.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stevens have returned from Barre, where they have been employed during the winter. Mr. Stevens has purchased a Ford car.

Miss Gladys Richardson has been home a few days from Montpelier.

G. E. Nelson and L. E. Nelson were in Barre Sunday to attend the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Louise Blanchard.

Among those from away who attended the funeral of Merton Curtis were Herbert Farnham and sons of West Barre, H. J. Curtis of Montpelier, E. H. Curtis of Chelsea, Albert Cutler, Mr. and Mrs. Roswell Farnham of Topsham, and Wallace Bolles and family of Plainfield.

The grange meeting Friday night was well attended. The next regular meeting will be next Friday night, when it is expected business of importance will be transacted.

#### ROCHESTER

Dennis Jones is very ill with measles.

Mrs. Greta Lyon, who has been with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Wyman, returned to her home in Berkeley, Wash.

The Windsor county W. C. T. U. convention will be held in Woodstock May 2 and 3. Mrs. O. B. Wells, Mrs. Della Hubbard and Mrs. Bessie Sturtevant are delegates from this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Houston are in Maine, visiting their daughter, Mrs. McKenny.

Rev. O. B. Wells, pastor of the Methodist church, will remain here for the seventh year.

Mrs. Julia Pierce and Mrs. Ellen Pierce were in Boston last week.

E. H. Abbott, who has been employed in the creamery for several years, has finished work there.

Charles Martin and John Wyman were in Randolph last week.

Mrs. Homer Stoughton, who has been visiting her son, H. S. Stoughton, has returned to her home in Barre.

Baby week will be observed from May 1 to May 6.

**BUILDING BIG SHIP YARD.**  
Work Started on Plant Which Will Turn Out Wooden Ships in Record Time.

New York, May 1.—Work was started yesterday by the Foundation company on the big shipyard on the Passaic river near Newark, N. J., at which will be built in record time the wooden ships proposed by the United States shipping board to offset the tonnage destroyed by German submarines. The vessels will be constructed under government supervision.

**BRAZIL STAYS NEUTRAL.**  
Proclamation in Respect to War Between United States and Germany.

Rio Janeiro, April 28 (Delayed).—The Brazilian government issued a proclamation of neutrality to-day in respect to the war between the United States and Germany.

The St. Louis Cardinals showed so much speed at the beginning of the championship race that St. Louis fans are again beginning to hope that the long-awaited contender has arrived. A winning team in St. Louis after all these years of losing clubs would prove a gold mine for the owners.

#### PLAINFIELD

Dr. O. G. Stickney of Barre was in town Wednesday to attend Charles Davis, who is ill.

Mrs. H. C. Cutting and Mrs. Lena Knapp were in Montpelier Thursday.

Mrs. Blanche Perrin returned from Heaton hospital, Montpelier, Monday.

Miss Alice Knapp of Boston is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. L. F. Knapp.

Mr. and Mrs. Alden Winch of Marshfield were in town last week.

L. C. Baldwin spent Tuesday in Groton with relatives.

Mrs. Ellen Shorey is visiting relatives in St. Johnsbury and Wheelock.

Mrs. Truman Bartlett spent Tuesday in Montpelier with Mrs. Charles Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. George King and Miss Edith King were in Montpelier Wednesday.

Fred Cole of Dixville, N. H., is visiting at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Wesley Lamberton.

Miss Alice Hudson, Miss Maude Flood and Mrs. Inez Perkins began their spring term of school Monday.

C. F. Perry spent Wednesday in Barre and Montpelier.

Mrs. Lucy Hollister of Marshfield visited friends in town part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Batchelder were in Montpelier Monday.

Mrs. George Vincent and Mrs. Nat Batchelder were in Montpelier Wednesday.

Mrs. George Guernsey and daughter of Montpelier recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Maynard King.

Walter Lane was in Worcester and Moretown last week.

Mrs. Merton Whitcomb went to East Barre Friday to spend a few days with relatives.

Mrs. Fred Cree and daughter, Freda, were in Montpelier Thursday.

Ross Gale was in Montpelier Wednesday on business.

Mrs. Milford Kiser returned from Burlington Saturday, where she was called by the illness and death of her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Hammond.

Mrs. Florence Page and daughter, Florence, were in Barre and Montpelier Saturday.

Mrs. Orville Cole of Marshfield was in town Saturday.

Mrs. Eva Lamberton, who has been spending a few weeks with Mrs. Ann Austin, has returned to her home in Marshfield.

Mrs. C. D. Perry and Miss Florence Perry visited Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Minott of Montpelier Saturday.

D. W. Moses and George Vincent were in Montpelier Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Flood visited Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Farnham of Montpelier Saturday.

Miss Doris Knapp has finished work in South Royalton and is home for a few days.

Ed. Stone and L. L. Knapp have finished work at Windsor.

Raymond Goodwin of Lyndonville is visiting relatives in town.

Karl Woodcock was in Montpelier Friday.

Mrs. Will Adams and daughter of Barre spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Emma Bartlett.

Mrs. H. H. Martin and son, Carl, were in Barre and Montpelier Saturday.

Mrs. H. F. Cutler of Barre visited her mother, Mrs. Ella Smith, Friday.

James English of Montpelier spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Field.

Karl Woodcock has finished work in C. P. Kellogg's store.

Mrs. Elsie Hooker of Montpelier spent Saturday and Sunday with her brother, H. E. Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Ballaw and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Lafayette spent Sunday in Marshfield with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wells.

Dr. Cross of Williamstown was in town Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dwinell and daughter recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Simeon Dwinell of Hollister hill.

Cutler Dobbins has finished work for Mrs. Mary Hollister and gone to his home in New York, where he expects to join the navy.

E. P. Whitcomb and Mr. Thompson were business visitors in Barre Saturday.

Miss Marion Martin of Goddard seminary, Barre, spent Sunday with her parents.

Mrs. Elliott Martin and brother, Everett Chase, spent Sunday in West Berlin with Mr. and Mrs. George Chase.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Hudson of South Ryegate spent Sunday in town with relatives.

Mrs. Annie Rickard of Montpelier is caring for Mrs. Lizzie Davis, who has been ill for several weeks.

**WILLIAMSTOWN**  
South Hill Farmers' club will hold a meeting in grange hall Thursday evening in the interest of food production and marketing. The following speakers are to be present: M. R. Tolstrup, state market expert; Hon. A. W. Hewitt, member state board of education; E. H. Loveland, county agent. This is the most important meeting of the year and every patriotic citizen should plan to come and bring his whole family. Ladies are especially invited.

**EAST BARRE.**  
Miss Mary Boulerice has recovered from her illness and is now about her duties.

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**Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin Relieves Chronic Case of Long Standing**



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After a long period of suffering with liver and bowel trouble that brought on piles, during which she had tried many remedies without obtaining relief, Mrs. Mary J. Jewell, of Berrien Springs, Mich., heard of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin and obtained a bottle from her druggist. This simple, inexpensive laxative compound brought almost immediate relief and Mrs. Jewell wrote to Dr. Caldwell about her case.

In her letter Mrs. Jewell says, I had tried so many things for the piles, without being helped at all, I had about given up hope of ever being any better. I knew it was the condition of my bowels that caused them, and after I had taken a bottle of your Syrup Pepsin I knew it was just the medicine I needed. I am very grateful to you for sending me the little book—the advice and instructions it gives would teach anyone how to get well and how to keep well."

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is a combination of simple laxative herbs with pepsin, free from opiate or narcotic drugs, and is mild and gentle in its action, bringing relief in an easy, natural way, without griping, or other pain or discomfort.

Druggists everywhere sell Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin for fifty cents a bottle. To avoid imitations and ineffective substitutes be sure you get Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. See that a facsimile of Dr. Caldwell's signature and his portrait appear on the yellow carton in which the bottle is packed. A trial bottle, free of charge, can be obtained by writing to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 455 Washington St., Monticello, Illinois, for whom this advertisement is published.

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